

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

SPRINGFIELD TERMINAL RAILWAY
COMPANY,

Petitioner,

v.

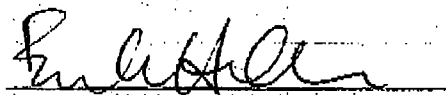
UNITED STATES SURFACE
TRANSPORTATION BOARD and THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Respondents.

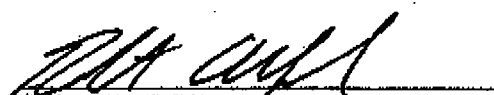
Civil Action No. 04-12705-RGS

CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 16.1 (D)(3)

Pursuant to Local Rule 16.1(D)(3), the undersigned hereby certify that counsel for the petitioner and an authorized representative of the petitioner have conferred regarding the matters described in Local Rule 16.1(D)(3)(a) and (b).



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